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FM USINT BAGHDAD

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2074

INFO AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: AFSP, IZ

SUBJECT: ABSENCE OF PRINCIPAL OFFICER

1. UPON RETURN BY ROAD DRIVING POV FROM BEIRUT AND DAMASCUS
JUNE 8TH, ASSUMED CHARGE OF USINT IN ABSENCE OF PRINCIPAL
OFFICER LOWRIE.

2. FOR DAMASCUS: 530 MILE DRIVE DAMASCUS-RUTBAH-RAMADI-
BAGHDAD TOOK EXACTLY 12 HOURS, INCLUDING ABOUT TWO HOURS
ON BORDER CROSSINGS. TRAFFIC WAS LIGHT. ROAD CONDITIONS
WERE UNIFORMLY EXCELLENT IN SYRIA AND FINE IN IRAQ WITH
SOLE EXCEPTION OF STRETCH FROM JUNCTION WITH ROAD TO
AMMAN TO WITHIN 20 MILES OF RAMADI. THIS PORTION OF ROAD
HAS MANY DIPS AND SURFACE HAS A WASHBOARD EFFECT-MAKING
IT DIFFICULT EXCEED 50 MPH.
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